Inder Wadhwa Pit River Health Service Inc. 36977, Park Avenue, Burney CA 96013

Threat is global- Response is local

Our Associates:

- Shasta County Public Health- PFCC
- Shasta County Public Health- Burney, CA
- Red Cross
- ☐ Hill Country Community Clinic
- Mayer's Memorial
- Safeway Pharmacy- Burney
- Sheriff's Office- Burney, CA
- □ Fire Departments- Burney, Cassel and others
- Fall River Joint Unified School District Administration

Objective: Work together to get prepared for the emergencies like Pandemic Flu by:

- Evaluation
- Patient Education
- Formalizing strategic locations
- Role Assignment
- Resource Sharing
- Information Exchange
- Continuous Monitoring

Role of PRHS: Not only primary caregiver to Tribal Members in the area but also a primary source of health information for them.

Need Assessment: What is our requirement of:

- Facilities
- Medical Providers
- Nursing Professionals
- Ambulances
- Supplies
- Immunizations/ Vaccines
- Medications

Asset Mapping:

- What we have?
- Where we have- Location?
- Who can authorize the use-access?
- Formalities to be completed

Educational Campaign

Education of the masses on preparing them for the emergencies

Distribution of the information flyers/brochures to everyone

Public health/outreach/transportation staff of health units to reach the population segments, educate them and distribute the flyers

- Training on National Incident Management System (NIMS)/ Standardized Emergency Management (SEMS)
- Coordinate with local Law Enforcement/Fire Department/County Health.
- ☐ HRSA Funds available
- Participation with County on the efforts on emergency preparedness

Stages covered:

- Established 'Intermountain Emergency Preparedness Committee' with a focus on all emergencies.
- Asset Mapping.
- Partnership with County Public Health on County-wide preparation efforts.
- Applied for HRSA funding.
- Developed the educational flyer with collaboration of County Public Health.

Current Status at PRHS

- NIMS/SEMS Training in progress
- □ Getting a plan developed exclusively for PRHS with the help of Calvin Freeman and Barbara Aragon (Consultants with CA State Indian Health program)